

Hongkong Telegraph

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 21, 1894.

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THE MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED.

AUTHORISED CAPITAL £1,500,000
SUBSCRIBED £1,185,000

BANKERS:
LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK, LIMITED.

INTEREST ALLOWED ON CURRENT ACCOUNTS at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the Daily Balance.

ON FIXED DEPOSITS:—
For 12 Months.....5 per cent.
" 6 ".....4 " "
" 3 ".....3 " "

JOHN THURBURN,
Manager, Hongkong.
Hongkong, 4th February, 1894. [20]

THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA, LIMITED.

Authorised Capital £1,000,000
Subscribed Capital £500,000

HEAD OFFICE:—HONGKONG.

Court of Directors:—
D. Gillies, Esq., Chairman
Chen Kih Shun, Esq.,
H. Sinterhof, Esq.,
Chief Manager.

GEORGE W. F. PLAYFAIR.

Branches:—London, Yokohama, Shanghai and Amoy.

BANKERS:—
The Commercial Bank of Scotland,
Paris Banking Co., and The Alliance Bank (Ld.)

Interest for 12 months Fixed, 5 per Cent.
Hongkong, 16th November, 1893. [7]

THE BANK OF CHINA, JAPAN, AND THE STRAITS, LIMITED.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL £2,000,000
CAPITAL PAID-UP £251,993.15.0

BANKERS:
CAPITAL & COUNTRY BANK, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE:
No. 3, PRINCE'S STREET, LONDON.

BRANCHES:
BOMBAY, CALCUTTA, HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI.

AGENCIES:
PENANG, SINGAPORE AND YOKOHAMA.

RATES OF INTEREST.
ALLOWED ON CURRENT ACCOUNTS and Fixed Deposits can be ascertained on application.

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

CHANTREY INCHBALD,
Manager.
Hongkong, 6th November, 1893. [210]

THE STANDARD.

ENDOWMENT ASSURANCE.

1. AMONG THE MANY ADVANTAGES of this form of Assurance, the following may be mentioned:—

(a)—It secures an immediate Provision for wife and family or other relatives in event of early death.

(b)—It provides a Fund for Retirement.

(c)—It supplies an excellent Investment for the regular accumulation of small fixed sums of money.

(d)—The Surrender and loan values are larger than under ordinary Policies.

2. AFTER THE POLICY HAS BEEN THREE YEARS IN FORCE—should the Policy-holder wish to discontinue future payments—he will be entitled to receive, on application, a FREE PAID-UP POLICY for a proportionate amount of the Sum Assured, as explained in the Prospectus.

Full particulars on application,
DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,
Agents,
STANDARD LIFE OFFICE.

Hongkong, 8th August, 1893. [747]

THE MAN ON INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED £1,000,000

The above Company is prepared to accept MARINE RISKS at CURRENT RATES on GOODS, &c. Policies granted to all parts of the world payable at any of its Agencies.

HEAD OFFICE,
No. 2, QUEEN'S ROAD WEST,
Hongkong, 24th November, 1893. [180]

THE ON-TAI INSURANCE COMPANY, (LIMITED).

CAPITAL, TAELS 600,000 } \$833,333.33
RESERVE FUND } \$318,000.00

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:
LEE SING, Esq.,
LOU TAO SHUN, Esq.,
MANAGER.—HO AMEL.

MARINE RISKS ON GOODS, &c., taken at CURRENT RATES to all parts of the world.

HEAD OFFICE, 8 & 9, PRINCE STREET,
Hongkong, 12th December, 1893. [107]

Intimations.

THE FIFTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS will be held in the HONGKONG HOTEL, on FRIDAY, the 23rd March, at NOON, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Manager, declaring a Dividend, and electing a Consulting Committee and Auditor.

THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 20th to 23rd March, both days inclusive.

GEORGE FENWICK,
General Manager.
Hongkong, 15th March, 1894. [352]

WANTED.

FOR SERVICE in the State of Perak THREE INTERPRETERS, Two on a salary of \$900 and One on a salary of \$340 per annum, on the fixed establishment.

The necessary qualifications are—
I. That the applicant shall possess a good knowledge of Chinese character, and ability to translate Chinese Bills, Accounts, Letters, &c., into accurate English. (No one who cannot pass this test need apply.)

II. That he shall be able to Speak and Write English correctly.

III. That he shall know at least two dialects of Chinese. For two of the appointments Cantonese and Khek are essential and for the other Tchehu.

Talping, 21st February, 1894. [340]

NOTICE.

WANTED a well educated CANTONESE CHINAMAN of good address with influence amongst Steamship and Machinery Owners in the neighbourhood of Canton; knowledge of Engineering an advantage. Good salary to the right man.

Apply first by letter only to
F. WALKER,
Vacuum Oil Company,
18, Wyndham Street.
Hongkong, 13th March, 1894. [343]

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

EASTER MEETING.

THE NAVAL RANGE is reserved for QUEEN'S COMPETITIONS at 600, 800 and 900 yards. MEMBERS will NOT be permitted to shoot All Comers Tickets on this Range.

By the courtesy of the Captain Superintendent of Police, the Police Range is available for Practice this week.

ARTHUR CHAPMAN,
Honorary Secretary.
Hongkong, 20th March, 1894. [46]

NOTICE.

THE HONGKONG HOTEL ROTISSERIE will be RE-OPENED on FRIDAY, the 24th instant, under new and experienced management.

THE STRICTEST ATTENTION will be paid to the COUSINE.

A STAFF of thoroughly trained and specially selected servants has been engaged and will be under the immediate supervision of the Manager.

Hongkong, 5th February, 1894. [198]

NOTICE.

THE Underigned having been appointed Agents for the KONINKLIJKE PAKETVAART MAATSCHAPPIJ,

are prepared to grant through Bills of Lading to Ports of Java, Sumatra (East and West Coast) Celebes, Timor, Sunda Islands, Dutch New Guinea, &c., &c. Bills of Lading for through Cargo from these Ports to be presented to the Underigned for countersignature.

LAUTS, WEGENER & Co.
Hongkong, 25th November, 1893. [1289]

THE PHARMACY,

25, QUEEN'S ROAD.

MESSRS. FLETCHER & Co. beg to inform the Residents of Hongkong and the Shipping Community, that they have now OPENED at the above address. The Store is managed by a thoroughly competent Chemist who takes every care that all DRUGS and CHEMICALS used in the compounding of prescriptions are PURE and FRESH.

FLETCHER & Co. have on hand a good selection of Druggists' Sundries and Patent Medicines.

Telephone No. 74.
FLETCHER & Co.
Hongkong, 23rd September, 1893. [28]

D. R. KNORR'S

LION BRAND
ANTIPYRINE.

(DOSE FOR ADULTS: 15 TO 35 GRAMS TROY.)

IS the most approved and most efficacious remedy in cases of HEADACHE, MIGRAINE, NEURALGIA, RHEUMATISM, FEVER, TYPHUS, INFLUENZA, DENGUE, ERYSIPELAS, HOOPING COUGH, and many other complaints. It is also the very best Antipyretic. Highly recommended by the Medical Faculty. Ask for DR. KNORR'S ANTIPYRINE. Each Tin bears the inventor's signature "Dr. KNORR" in red letters.

"DESMATOL" is the best Vulnerary; its effect in stimulating the closing up of Wounds, is described as amazing.

To be had at every reputed Chemist and Druggist.

Supplies constantly on hand at the China Bank, Import and Bank Co.—Sole Agents for Canton.

Beware of spurious imitations.
Hongkong, 1st April, 1894. [406]

NGAI SHANG,

25, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.

RATTAN FURNITURE

CHAIRS, COUCHES, TABLES, BASKETS, CHILDREN'S COTS, &c., &c.
Largest Patterns, Best Workmanship.
Rattan Core, Split Rattan, Canton Road and Sundries of all kinds.
Hongkong, 20th November, 1893. [10]

Intimations.

THE HONGKONG HOTEL.

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS, "Kremlin"—A. B. C. Code.—TELEPHONE, No. 31.

PROPRIETORS.....THE HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE HONGKONG HOTEL—the most commodious and best appointed Hotel in the Far East, affords unequalled accommodation to travellers and others. It is situated in the centre of the town, opposite the General Post Office and the Hongkong Club, adjacent to Podders' Wharf (the principal landing stage of the Colony) and in close proximity to the Banks and Shipping Offices.

THE HOTEL STEAM LAUNCH conveys passengers and baggage to and from all Mail Steamers. THE TABLE D'HOTE, at separate tables, is supplied with every delicacy, the *cuisine* being under experienced supervision.

THE BED-ROOMS, with adjoining Bath-rooms, are lofty and well ventilated, open on to spacious Verandahs, are lighted by gas and fitted throughout with electric communications.

The Reading, Writing and Smoking Rooms, Ladies' Drawing Rooms, the new Bar and public BILLIARD ROOMS (Six English and American Tables) are fitted with every convenience.

THE WINES & SPIRITS are selected by an Expert and the BEST BRANDS only are supplied. HYDRAULIC ASCENDING-ROOMS of the latest and most approved type convey passengers and baggage from the Entrance Hall to each of the five floors above.

NIGHT PORTERS and WATCHMEN are continually on duty.

R. TUCKER,
Manager.
Hongkong, 17th November, 1893. [229]

W. BREWER.

LARGE SELECTION OF NEW TENNIS RATS, INCLUDING:—
THE DEMON—Special Champion.
Champion Tennis Balls and Match Balls.
Tennis Shoes, Nets and Poles.

Bell's Story of the Heavens.
Bell's In the High Heavens.
Gore's—The Visible Universe.
Mason's—The Principles of Chess.
Hypnotism and the New Witchcraft.
Castle's—Schools and Masters of Fence.
Denny's Folk Lore of China.
New Queen's Regulations.
Spence's Mechanics' Own Book.
Sutton's and Routhwaite's Marine Engineering Rules and Tables.

Macgregor and Calvert's Engineers' Almanack.
Caw's Fountain and Stylographic Pens.
Billiards Simplified.
Geddes'—Chapters in Modern Botany.
Prince D'Orleans'—Around Tonquin.
Sutton Simmonds' Innocent and Malignant Strahan—Suicide and Insanity.
Squire—Care and Prevention of Consumption.
Roberts—The Earth's History.
Hake's—Explosives.
Phillips—Metallurgy.

W. BREWER,
Hongkong, 20th March, 1894. [40]

KELLY & WALSH, LD.

NOW READY,
TUESDAY, 6TH MARCH.

PRICE ONE DOLLAR.

DOLLAR AND STERLING

EXCHANGE TABLES

FROM 1s. 9d. to 1s. 11d.

FORMING A SUPPLEMENT TO OUR PREVIOUS EXCHANGE TABLES.

Hongkong, 5th March, 1894. [6]

DAWSON'S PERFECTION

OLD SCOTCH WHISKY.

ALLISTON & CO., SOLE AGENTS, Hongkong and the Far East,
88, Queen's Road Central.
Hongkong, 11th December, 1893. [61]

LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.

GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS.
SHIPS' STORES.
WINES, SPIRITS, STOUT, ALE, LIQUEURS.

TEACHER'S "HIGHLAND CREAM" WHISKY.
NAPIER JOHNSTONE'S HIGHLAND WHISKY.
ADET SEWARD & Co.'s BORDEAUX WINES.
SACCO'S SHERRIES.
HENRY THOMSON & Co.'s and JAMESON'S IRISH WHISKIES.
COATES' FLYMOUTH GIN.
HOBOKEN DE BIE & Co.'s HOLLANDS.
VERMOUTH, RUM, GINGER WINE, CHERRY BRANDY.
CIGARS and TOBACCOS.

LANE CRAWFORD & Co.
Hongkong, 26th February, 1894. [50]

CENTRAL HOTEL,

SHANGHAI.

Electric Lighting throughout the Premises.

THIS long-established SELECT Family Hotel, situated on the Bund, facing the river in the centre of the Settlements, is now fitted with the latest modern improvements, including Bath and Dressing Rooms ATTACHED to Suites and Single Rooms, with hot and cold water laid on, DOUCHE, SHOWERS, SPRAYS, etc., and heated to a comfortable temperature during winter.

COMMODIOUS RECEPTION ROOM FOR VISITORS.

SEPARATE ROOMS FOR PRIVATE DINNER PARTIES, &c.

An Assistant attends on Passengers by Mail Steamers.

N.B.—Special reduced charges may be arranged for applications to the Manager.

F. E. REILLY,
PROPRIETOR.

Intimations.

NOTICE.
THE BANK OF CHINA, JAPAN AND THE STRAITS, LIMITED.

SHAREHOLDERS are reminded that the "THIRD INSTALLMENT" of CALL, amounting to FIVE SHILLINGS per Share on the 3rd Shares of the Bank, is DUE on the 21st March, 1894, and is PAYABLE at the Office of the Bank, No. 4, Queen's Road, either by cash or Draft on London or in Local Currency equivalent.

CHANTREY INCHBALD,
Manager.
Hongkong, 19th March, 1894. [371]

BANK HOLIDAYS.

IN accordance with Ordinance No. 6 of 1875, the Undermentioned BANKS will be CLOSED for the Transaction of Public Business on FRIDAY, the 23rd instant (GOOD FRIDAY), and on MONDAY, the 26th idem (EASTER MONDAY):—

For the CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA,
T. H. WHITEHEAD,
Manager, Hongkong.

For the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION,
T. JACKSON,
Chief Manager.

For the COMPTON NATIONAL DESCOMPTES DE PARIS,
L. GLENAT,
Acting Agent.

For the BANK OF CHINA, JAPAN, AND THE STRAITS, LIMITED, HONGKONG,
CHANTREY INCHBALD,
Manager.

For the NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA, LIMITED,
GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR,
Chief Manager.

For the MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED,
JOHN THURBURN,
Manager, Hongkong.

Hongkong, 19th March, 1894. [367]

HONGKONG SMOKING CONCERT CLUB.

THE next CONCERT (probably the last) will be held in the THEATRE ROYAL, CITY HALL, on SATURDAY, 24th instant, at 9.15 P.M.

Chairman—E. W. MITCHELL, Esq.
J. D. LAPRAIK,
Hon. Sec.

Hongkong, 19th March, 1894. [370]

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION
OF
OLD CHINESE PORCELAIN,
SILK EMBROIDERIES AND CURIOS.

THE Underigned has received instructions to Sell by
PUBLIC AUCTION,
ON
SATURDAY, the 24th March, 1894,
commencing at 2.30 P.M.

The Remaining Portion of a Fine Collection of OLD CHINESE PORCELAIN AND CURIOS.

Comprising:—
VASES, JARS, CUPS, BOWLS, PLATES, SCREENS, OLD LACQUER, BRONZES, ENAMELS, CARVINGS, SILK EMBROIDERIES and other CURIOS.

Catalogues will be issued prior to Sale. On View from Thursday, the 22nd instant.

TERMS OF SALE:—As customary.
GEO. E. LAMBERT,
Auctioneer.

Hongkong, 19th March, 1894. [358]

AUCTION SALE.

OF
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE
AND EFFECTS.

THE Underigned have received instructions to Sell by
PUBLIC AUCTION,
AT THEIR SALE ROOMS, 17, PRINCE CENTRAL, ON
SATURDAY, next, March 24th, 1894,
AT 2.30 P.M.,

A QUANTITY OF VALUABLE
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,
Comprising:—
Hall, Drawing-room, Dining-room and Bed-room Furniture, Sideboard, Gracemantels, Extension Dining Tables, Marble-Top and Fancy Tables, Cabinets, Easy Chairs, Rattan Chairs, Double and Single Iron and Brass mounted Bedsteads with Wire Woven Spring Mattresses, Dressing Tables, Marble-Top Washstands, Electro Plated and Glass Ware, Cutlery, Cooking Stoves, Ice Chests, Meat Sals, Bath-room and Kitchen Requisites, &c., &c.

On View Friday and Saturday.
Catalogues will be issued.

SALE TERMS:—As customary.
A. E. SKEELS & Co.,
Auctioneers & Valuers.

Offices, 17, Prince Central,
Hongkong, 19th March, 1894. [359]

Shipping.

STEAMERS.

"SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS.

THE Steamship
"DRYFESDALE,"
Captain Stewart, will be despatched, as above on or about WEDNESDAY, the 23rd instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, 20th March, 1894. [377]

FOR NEW YORK, VIA SUEZ CANAL.

THE Steamship
"PATHAN,"
will be despatched for the above Port on the 25th instant.

To be followed by the Steamship
"PORT PHILLIP."

For Freight or Passage, apply to
DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, 19th March, 1894. [101-571]

Shipping.

STEAMERS.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA.

THE Steamship
"LIGHTNING,"
Captain J. G. Spence, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 22nd instant, at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, 21st March, 1894. [364]

THE CHINA AND MANILA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR MANILA, VIA AMOY.

THE Company's Steamship
"ESMERALDA,"
Captain G. A. Taylor, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 22nd instant, at 5 P.M.

This Steamer has Superior Accommodation for Passengers and is fitted with the Electric Light.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
SHEWAN & Co.,
General Managers.
Hongkong, 19th March, 1894. [374]

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND FOCHOW.

THE Company's Steamship
"NAMO,"
Captain Harris, will be despatched for the above Ports on FRIDAY, the 23rd instant, at Day-light.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
DOUGLAS LARRAIK & Co.,
General Managers.
Hongkong, 20th March, 1894. [375]

"SHELL" LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR LONDON, BREMEN AND HAMBURG.

THE Steamship
"SPONDILUS,"
Captain N. Hocken, will be despatched for the above Ports on or about the 26th March.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
SHEWAN & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, 8th March, 1894. [274]

SAILING VESSELS.

FOR NEW YORK.

THE 3/3 L.I.L. American Bark
"EDWARD MAY,"
McClure, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to
SHEWAN & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, 17th March, 1894. [163]

Consignees.

AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM TRIESTE, PORT SAID, SUEZ, JEDDAH, SUAKIM, MASSAWAH, HOEDDA, ADEN, BOMBAY, COLOMBO, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship
"MARIA VALERIE,"
having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, whence delivery may be obtained.

This vessel brings on Cargo:—
From Calcutta, ex S.S. "AGLAIA," transhipped at Colombo.

From Trieste, ex S.S. "IMPERATRIZ," transhipped at Bombay.

Optional Cargo will go on to Shanghai unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon TO-DAY.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Claims must be sent in to the Underigned before Noon on the 24th instant, or they will not be recognized.

No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 24th instant, will be subject to rent.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by
SANDER & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, 19th March, 1894. [327]

"SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

The Share Market.

LATEST QUOTATIONS.
 Hongkong and Shanghai Bank—91 per cent.
 The National Bank of China, Ltd.—£8.00
 The National Bank of China, Ltd.—Founders
 shares, nominal.
 The Bank of China, Japan & the Straits, Ltd.—
 nominal.
 The Bank of China, Japan & the Straits, Ltd.—
 Founders' shares, nominal.
 Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884—21 per cent.
 premium, sellers.
 Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884—C—3 per cent.
 premium, buyers.
 Chinese Imperial Loan of 1885—E—14 per cent.
 premium.
 Union Insurance Society of Canton—\$130 per
 share, sales and sellers.
 China Traders' Insurance Company—\$50 per
 share, sales.
 North China Insurance—Tls. 185 per share,
 sales and sellers.
 Canton Insurance Company, Limited—\$132 per
 share, sellers.
 Yangtze Insurance Association—\$70, sales and
 buyers.
 On Tai Insurance Company, Limited—Tls. 15
 per share.
 Hongkong Fire Insurance Company—\$185 per
 share, sales and buyers.
 China Fire Insurance Company—\$70 per share,
 buyers.
 Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamboat Co.—
 \$27 per share, sales and buyers.
 China and Manila Steam Ship Company—\$52
 ex. div. buyers.
 Indo-China Steam Navigation Company, Limited—
 40 per cent. discount, sellers.
 Douglas Steamship Company—\$43, sales and
 buyers.
 Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Company—76
 per cent. premium, sales and sellers.
 Geo. Fenwick & Co., Limited—\$22 per share,
 sales and buyers.
 Hongkong Hotel Company—\$13 per share,
 sales and sellers.
 Hongkong Hotel Co.'s Six per cent. Debentures—
 nominal.
 The Austin Arms Hotel and Building Company,
 Limited—\$4 per share, sellers.
 The Shamrock Hotel Co., Limited—\$4 per
 share, sellers.
 Panyon Mining Co.—\$71 per share, sellers.
 The Rambold Mining Co., Limited—\$42 per
 share, sales and buyers.
 The Balmoral Gold Mining Co., Limited—
 \$140 per share, sales and buyers.
 Société Française des Charbonnages du Tonkin—
 \$70 per share, buyers.
 The Jubilee Mining and Trading Co., Limited—
 \$61, sales and sellers.
 London and Pacific Petroleum Co., Ltd.—
 China Sugar Refining Company, Limited—\$180
 per share, sales and sellers.
 Luxon Sugar Refining Company, Limited—\$35
 sellers.
 A. S. Watson & Co., Limited—\$91, sellers.
 Dakin, Crickshaw & Co., Limited—\$1 per
 share, sales and buyers.
 Hongkong Dairy Farm Co., Limited—\$7 per
 share, sales and sellers.
 The Kowloon Land Investment Co., Limited—
 12 per share, sales and sellers.
 The Hongkong Land Investment Co., Limited—
 \$52, sales and sellers.
 The West End Buildings Co., Limited—\$18
 per share, buyers.
 H. G. Brown & Co., Limited—\$81 per share,
 sellers.
 Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown
 Company—\$33 per share, buyers.
 Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Company,
 Limited—\$92 per share, ex. div., buyers.
 Hongkong Gas Company—\$120 per share,
 buyers.
 Hongkong Ice Company—\$80 per share, sales
 and buyers.
 Hongkong and China Bakery Company, Limited
 \$35 per share, sellers.
 The Hongkong Brick and Cement Co., Limited—
 \$5 per share, sales and buyers.
 The Green Island Cement Co.—\$38, sellers.
 The Hongkong Electric Light Co., Limited—
 \$41, sales and sellers.
 The Hongkong Steam Laundry Co., Limited—
 \$35 per share, nominal.
 The Hongkong High-Level Tramway Co.,
 Limited—\$62 ex. Div. buyers.

EXCHANGE.
 On London—Bank, T. T. 1/11
 Bank Bills, on demand 1/11
 Bank Bills, at 4 months' sight 1/11
 Credits at 4 months' sight 2/04
 Documentary Bills, at 4 months'
 sight 2/04
 On Paris—
 Bank Bills, on demand 2/45
 Credits, at 4 months' sight 2/53
 On India—
 T. T. 1/16
 On Demand 1/04
 On Shanghai—
 Bank, T. T. 72
 Private, 30 days' sight 73

VISITORS AT THE HONGKONG HOTEL.

Mr. L. Arenhold, Mr. R. Lyall,
 Mr. J. de Rego Barros, Mr. and Mrs. Marten,
 Mr. H. Burton, Mr. J. Williams,
 Miss Chamney, Mr. J. McWilliams,
 Mr. E. J. Colthurst, Mr. T. Mees,
 Dr. J. P. Cramer, Mr. T. Morony,
 Mr. J. Dick, Rev. J. M. Morton,
 Mr. & Mrs. Dickson, Mr. W. Parfitt,
 Mr. W. A. Duff, Mr. F. von der Floden,
 Mr. A. Easton, Mrs. von der Floden
 Mr. G. Fenwick, and two children,
 Mr. R. Flint, Dr. S. Porges,
 Mr. A. Gibb, Lieut. Rafin,
 Mr. H. Grove, Mr. E. Rogers,
 Colonel J. C. Hill, Mr. F. E. Shean,
 Mr. and Mrs. Holland, Mr. Sonne,
 Mr. J. Jones, Mr. F. Tator,
 Mr. J. Kinghorn, Mr. H. A. S. Thomson,
 Captain Kirby, R.N., Captain Thompson,
 Mr. J. Kirkwood, Captain A. Tillet,
 Mr. and Mrs. H. Kitta, Mr. T. H. Wilson,
 Baron and Baroness de Ladarlo, Mr. W. Whitley,
 Mr. and Mrs. Long, Mr. K. Widmer,
 Mr. G. M. Loriet, Capt. & Mrs. Wrottesley.

VISITORS AND RESIDENTS AT THE PEAK HOTEL.

Mr. & Mrs. G. Grimble, Mr. J. M. Murray,
 Capt. and Mrs. Huot, Mr. A. E. Skeels,
 Mr. MacLean, Mr. A. Findlay-Smith,
 Mr. McArthur, Mr. Stokes,
 Capt. and Mrs. Moore, Capt. & Mrs. Walsman,
 Mr. J. Chander.

MAILS EXPECTED.

THE ENGLISH MAIL.
 The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer *Thames*,
 with the outward English mail, left Singapore
 on the 20th instant, and may be expected here
 on the 26th.

THE FRENCH MAIL.

The Messageries Maritimes Co.'s steamer
Salatze, with the outward French mail, left
 Saigon on the 19th instant, and may be expected
 here on the 22nd.

THE AMERICAN MAIL.

The O. & O. S. S. Co.'s steamer *Oceanic*, with
 mails, &c., from San Francisco, leaves Yokohama
 tomorrow at daylight, and may be
 expected here on the 25th instant.

THE P. & O. S. N. CO.'S MAIL.

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer *City of Rio*
de Janeiro, with mails, &c., left San Francisco
 for this port, via Yokohama, on the 8th instant.

THE CANADIAN MAIL.

The Canadian Pacific Railway Co.'s steamer
Empress of China left Vancouver on the 9th
 instant for Yokohama, Kobe, Nagasaki, Shang-
 hai and Hongkong.

NORTHERN PACIFIC MAIL.

The Northern Pacific Steamship Co.'s steamer
Victoria, from Tacoma (Washington), left Yokohama
 for Kobe and Hongkong on the 20th instant.

THE INDIAN MAIL.

The steamer *Arratoon* left Singapore
 on the 20th instant, and may be expected here
 on the 27th.

STEAMERS EXPECTED.

The *Tata* line steamer *Assam*, from Bom-
 bay, left Singapore on the 13th instant, and may
 be expected here to-day.

The steamer *Drysdale* left Singapore on the
 10th instant, and may be expected here on
 the 17th.

The D. D. R. steamer *Garda* left Singapore
 on the 10th instant, and may be expected here
 on the 16th.

The N. Y. K. steamer *Hiroshima Maru* left
 Bombay on the 8th instant, and may be expected
 here on the 28th.

The steamer *Cardiganhire* left Singapore
 on the 21st instant, and may be expected here
 on the 28th.

The N. G. Italian *Blagno* left Bombay on
 the 10th instant, and may be expected here on
 the 17th.

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer *Thibet* left
 Bombay on the 17th instant, and may be
 expected here on the 23rd proximo.

Shipping.

ARRIVALS.

CYCLOPS, British steamer, 1,363, Barr, 21st
 March, London, via Liverpool 3rd Feb.,
 and Singapore 13th March, General—But-
 terfield & Swire.
 FORMOSA, British steamer, 680, T. Hall, 21st
 March, Tamsui 18th March, Amoy 19th
 and Swatow 20th, General—D. Lapralle
& Co.
 PEKIN, British steamer, 118, Raymond, 21st
 March, Amoy 19th March, General—
 Melchers & Co.
 HOIHOW, British steamer, 806, J. Hardy, 21st
 March, Canton 21st March, General—
 Butterfield & Swire.
 TAKSANO, British steamer, 977, Freeman, 21st
 March, Canton 21st March, General—
 Jardine, Matheson & Co.
 LOKSANG, British steamer, 978, N. Monck, 21st
 March, Canton 21st March, General—
 Jardine, Matheson & Co.
 HOLSTEIN, German steamer, 985, J. Bruhn,
 21st March, Saigon 16th March, Rice—
 Wieler & Co.
 BENGO, Portuguese gunboat, 462, Commander
 H. C. Akayde, 21st March, Macao 21st
 March.
 KUTSANG, British str., 1,495, W. H. Jackson,
 21st March, Calcutta 3rd March, Penang
 10th, and Singapore 14th, Opium and
 General—Jardine, Matheson & Co.
 ASK, Danish steamer, 592, Rev. Rev. 21st
 March, Halphong 17th March, and Hol-
 bow 20th, Rice—A. R. Marty.

CLEARANCES AT THE HARBOUR OFFICE.

Hoihow, British steamer, for Shanghai.
 Diomed, British steamer, for Amoy.
 Empress of Japan, British str., for Shanghai
 and Vancouver.
 Riversdale, British steamer, for Hongkong.
 Loksang, British steamer, for Shanghai.

DEPARTURES.

March 20, *Pallas*, British cruiser, for Japan.
 March 21, *Pravda*, German steamer, for Hoihow.
 March 21, *Sydney*, French str., for Saigon, &c.
 March 21, *Empress of Japan*, British steamer,
 for Shanghai, &c.
 March 21, *Hoihow*, British str., for Shanghai.
 March 21, *Loksang*, British str., for Shanghai.
 March 21, *Diomed*, British steamer, for Amoy.
 March 21, *Rhetgold*, German str., for Saigon.
 March 21, *Rothwell Castle*, British steamer, for
 Nagasaki, &c.

PASSENGERS—ARRIVED.

Per *Pekin*, from Amoy, 10 Chinese.
 Per *Formosa*, from Tamsui, &c.—113 Chinese.
 Per *Cyclops*, from London, &c.—Mr. and Mrs.
 Jackson, Mr. and Miss Michie, and 64 Chinese.
 Per *Hoihow*, from Saigon—46 Chinese.

DEPARTED.

Per *Sydney*, for Hongkong for Saigon—
 Sisters Candide, Julia, Messrs. Despax and ser-
 vant, R. A. de Souza, Master H. Bremmer, and
 3 Chinese. For Singapore—Mr. and Mrs. D.
 Schuster and child, Mrs. A. Grenberg, Mrs.
 Outhout and 3 daughters, Dr. A. Goldschmidt,
 Dr. H. Tuck, Messrs. P. May, S. R. Tuck, W.
 M. Adams, K. Mony, G. Kaufman, G. Davis,
 B. Grims, C. Palmer, and 2 Chinese. For
 Batavia—2 Chinese. For Colombo—Messrs.
 H. Grove, T. H. Wilson, and 3 Chinese. For
 Alexandria—Mr. T. Richardson. For Mar-
 seilles—Mr. and Mrs. Resnais, Mr. and Mrs.
 Turner, 2 children and servant, Mr. and Mrs.
 Gonzalez, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Arevalo and child,
 Surgeon Captain Borradale, Messrs. R. H.
 R. Burder, A. Dallen, Meli, Peypoch, J.
 Francis Pons, R. Vallejo and Martens. From
 Shanghai for Saigon—Messrs. Hartley, Cat-
 ter, and Santos. For Singapore—Mr. and
 Mrs. Machin and a infant, and Mr. A. Michie.
 For Marcella—Mr. and Mrs. Rogers, Miss
 Margaret Elliott, Messrs. Frandis, B. Harding,
 Arndt, Macdonald, and Rev. H. Rice. From
 Yokohama for Saigon—Messrs. H. Delmas, L.
 Brilland, Couineau, Lebreton, and D. Levy.
 For Singapore—Messrs. H. Osborne and Oka-
 karu. For Marcella—Mr. and Mrs. J. A.
 Scott, Odon Vialis, Kitagawa, Pollet, Michard
 Oshima, Nakasima, Chinawa, Figueroa, Genu-
 T. M. Rosenthal, Mikoski, Kasahara, and
 Rev. Chiquet. From Kobe for Singapore—
 Mrs. Shirashi Puné, Messrs. Kamimura, Y.
 Leto, J. Takai, Takakawa, and T. Ogawa.
 Per *Empress of Japan*, for Shanghai—Mrs.
 Sonne, Messrs. R. M. Cadwallader, Kelsall,
 Yeung, Ng Chan Son, Wai Yek Chae, and
 Cheung. For Kobe—Mr. and Mrs. Lyett and
 3 children, Mr. and Mrs. Magee, Dr. and Mrs.
 Vessels, Miss Swane, Captain Sterling,
 General Anselmy and valet, Messrs. de Wink,
 J. Lancaster and valet. For Yokohama—Sir Wm.
 and Lady Robinson, a child and 2 children, Mr.
 and Mrs. Andrews, Miss Monmouth, Miss J.
 M. Wilson, Captain Onley, Messrs. F. J.
 Lawson, Lee, and Todd. For Penang—Mr.
 and Mrs. Lum Ping, Messrs. Law Chop, Low
 Yow, and Low Wai Lock. For San Francisco—
 Captain and Mrs. Simmonson, Miss F. J.
 and Miss Kyle. For Chicago—Captain Dwyer,
 St. Paul. Miss A. Fatta son. For Liver-
 pool—Inspector Stanton. For London—Mrs.
 and Mrs. Nereh, Colonel and Mrs. Dwyer, Mr.
 and Mrs. Stoddard, Mr. and Mrs. Holland, and

and Lady Ashburton, valet and maid, Dr. and
 Mrs. Dickson, Mr. and Mrs. Norton, Messrs. M.
 C. Alcock, Lucy Alcock, B. M. Alcock, Sir Wm.
 Young, Colonel W. D. Samuels, Messrs. A. M.
 Bruce, A. O. Parkin, A. H. Baring, Bright, M.
 Rumbey, G. W. Henderson, M. R. Martin, H. A.
 Smith, Douglas Dick, and A. G. Grace from
 Hongkong. From Shanghai for Montreal—Dr.
 Kirkbride. For Frisco—Messrs. W. Rentach
 and Hallgren. From Yokohama for Van-
 couver—Messrs. W. H. Johnsons and valet,
 and W. Holmes. From Kobe for London—Miss
 Shakespeare.

REPORTS.

The British steamship *Cyclops* reports that
 she left London, via Liverpool on the 3rd ultimo,
 and Singapore on the 11th instant, and had
 strong monsoon and high sea.

The British steamship *Formosa* reports that
 she left Tamsui on the 18th instant, Amoy on
 the 19th, and Swatow on the 20th. From Tamsui
 to Amoy had moderate north-easterly breeze
 and fine weather. From Amoy to Swatow had
 fresh north-easterly breeze and high sea. From
 Swatow to Hongkong had moderate east-north-
 easterly breeze and fine weather. In Swatow the
 steamships *Kuyang*, *Wooning*, *Chiyun*, and
Oh.

The British steamship *Victoria* reports that
 she left Vancouver on the 9th instant, Amoy on
 the 19th, and Swatow on the 20th. From Tamsui
 to Amoy had moderate north-easterly breeze
 and fine weather. From Amoy to Swatow had
 fresh north-easterly breeze and high sea. From
 Swatow to Hongkong had moderate east-north-
 easterly breeze and fine weather. In Swatow the
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Post Office.

A MAIL WILL CLOSE—

For Halphong—Per *Hongkong* to-morrow, the
 22nd instant, at 10.30 A.M.

For Straits and Calcutta—Per *Lightning*
 to-morrow, the 22nd instant, at 11.30 A.M.

For Amoy, Port Darwin, Thursday Island,
 Cochin, Townsville, Melbourne, Sydney, Mel-
 bourne, and Adelaide—Per *Changsha* to-mor-
 row, the 22nd instant, at 3.30 P.M.

For Amoy and Manila—Per *Emeralda* to-mor-
 row, the 22nd instant, at 4.30 P.M.

For Swatow, Amoy & Fochow—Per *Namoa*
 on Thursday, the 22nd instant, at 5 P.M.

For Shanghai—Per *Ningbo* on Friday, the
 23rd instant, at 9 A.M.

For Nagasaki, Kobe, Yokohama, and San
 Francisco—Per *Peru* on Friday, the 23rd inst.,
 at 5 P.M.

For Europe, India, &c., via Bombay—Per
Amoy on Thursday, the 23rd instant, at 11
 A.M.

SHIPPING IN HONGKONG.

STEAMERS.

AYOCHIE, British steamer, 1,150, T. Rowin, 16th
 March, Saigon 9th March, Rice—Mel-
 chers & Co.

CAM, British steamer, 1,830, Mathias, 18th
 March, Batavia 6th January, and Singa-
 pore 9th March, Kerosene Oil—Wing Kee.

CHANGSHA, British steamer, 1,403, J. E.
 Williams, 17th March, Kobe 11th March,
 and Moji 13th, General—Butterfield &
 Swire.

CROMARTY, British steamer, 1,864, W. Duncan,
 16th March, Java 5th March, Sugar—
 Jardine, Matheson & Co.

EMPIRE OF JAPAN, British steamer, 5,004, Geo.
 A. Lee, 28th Feb., Vancouver 5th Feb.,
 Yokohama 20th, Kobe 21st, Nagasaki 22nd,
 and Shanghai 23rd, General—C. P. Rail-
 way Co.

ESMERALDA, British steamer, 966, G. A. Taylor,
 20th March, Manila 17th March, General—
 Sheehan & Co.

FAME, British steamer, 1,177—Hongkong Govern-
 ment tender.

HONGKONG, French steamer, 750, C. Bastran,
 10th March, Halphong 16th March, General—
 A. R. Marty.

LIGHTNING, British steamer, 1,224, J. G. Spence,
 16th March, Calcutta 25th Feb., Penang
 6th, and Singapore 9th, Opium and General—
 D. Sassoon, Sons & Co.

MONKUT, British steamer, 859, Chas. Stanham,
 20th March, Bangkok, and Koh-chang
 10th March, General—Yuen Fat Hong.

NAMOA, British steamer, 820, H. C. Harris, 20th
 March, Fochow 16th March, Amoy 17th,
 and Swatow 19th, General—D. Lapralle
& Co.

PERU, American steamer, 2,530, D. E. Friele,
 13th March, San Francisco 17th Feb.,
 and Yokohama 8th March, Mails and
 General—P. M. S. S. Co.

PILOT FISH, British steamer, 161, A. Stopan,
 Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co.

PORT PHILIP, British steamer, 1,669, C. Grey,
 R.N.R., 19th March, Saigon 14th March,
 Rice—Doddwell, Carill & Co.

PRAYA, 130, C. Maclellan—Hongkong
 Government tender.

PROCTER, German steamer, 612, Bohm, 18th
 March, Surabaya 5th March, Sugar—
 Siemens & Co.

RIVERDALE, British steamer, 1,311, Ed. Peck,
 19th March, Hongkong 16th March, Coals—
 Jardine, Matheson & Co.

SYDNEY, French steamer, 2,080, Augé, 19th
 March, Shanghai 21st March, Mails and
 General—Messageries Maritimes.

TANAMU, British steamer, 1,505, H. W. Hogg,
 17th March, Canton 17th March, General—
 Jardine, Matheson & Co.

TAIYU, British steamer, 1,450, Nelson, 18th
 March, Melbourne 17th Feb., and Port
 Darwin 8th March, General—Butterfield
& Swire.

TAIYUPE, German steamer, 675, J. Petersen,
 20th March, Mantong 16th March, General—
 Ed. Schellhase & Co.

SAILING VESSELS.

ANNE CORBURN, American bark, 1,978, J. P.
 Butman, 13th March, New York 20th
 October, Kerosene Oil—Renter, Broekel-
 man & Co.

ALZAR, British bark, 399, Matthews, 22nd Jan.,
 Sunderland 11th Nov., Wood—Wieler
& Co.

ANDREA, British ship, 1,650, A. Jackman, 20th
 Feb., New York 19th August, Kerosene
 Oil—Jardine, Matheson & Co.

BASTO, German bark, 348, H. Eggers, 14th
 Oct., Amoy 4th Oct., Sugar—Wieler & Co.

COLOMA, American bark, 855, Cyrus M. Noyes,
 26th Jan., Portland, and Honolulu 18th
 Nov., Lumber—Tuck Lee.

COURTY OF CARDIGAN, British ship, 1,250,
 Griffiths, 25th Feb., Cardiff 24th October,
 Coal—Government.

FERVADO, Norwegian bark, 347, E. Petersen,
 22nd Jan., Genoa 20th Dec., Rattans
 and Blackwood—Moh Wong.

GEORGETTA, American bark, 435, F. Easton,
 15th Feb., Bangkok 7th Feb., 15th Nov.,
 Timber—Wieler & Co.

GERALD C. TARTY, American bark, 1,900, J. F.
 Shurlet, 22nd Jan., New York 30th Sept.,
 Kerosene Oil—Jardine, Matheson & Co.

GONIA, Spanish schooner, 79, R. A. Elms, 26th
 Jan., Yaptak January—Master.

MARCO, British bark, 420, J. A. Elms, 26th
 Jan., Yaptak January—Master.

BOULE, 6th March, Honolulu 4th February,
 Ballast—Stewart & Co.

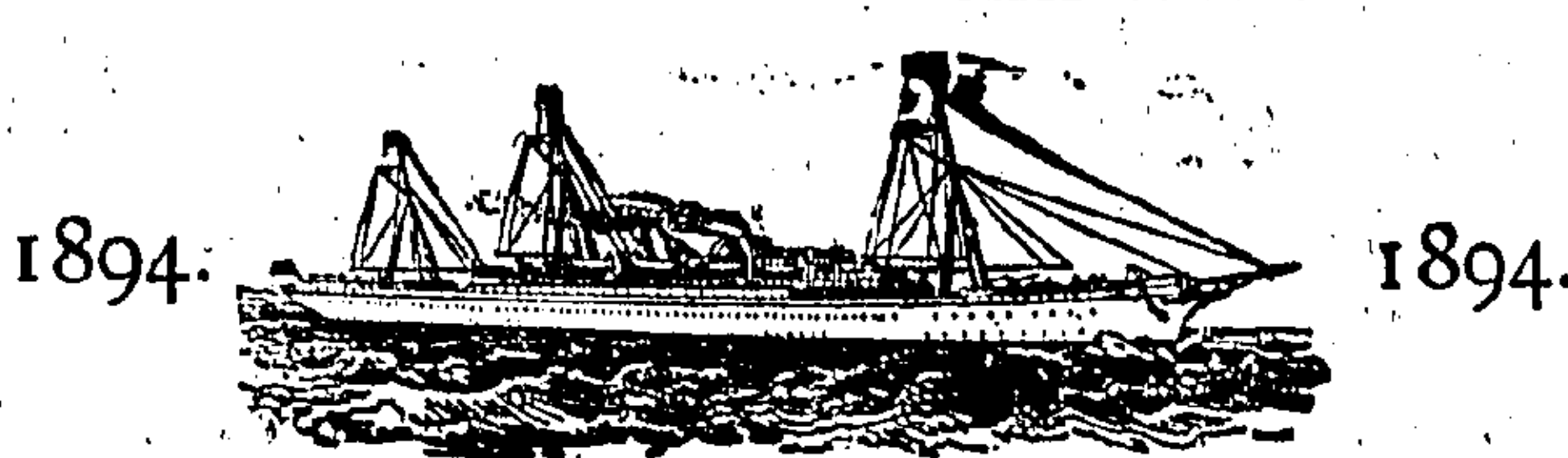
OMEGA, British bark, 420, Brown, 4th February,
 Callao 5th December, General—Master.

OXAGO, British bark, 245, C. B. Desborough,
 22nd Jan., Albany, W.A., 26th Nov., Sea-
 salted—Sheehan & Co.

SPAIN, British bark, 370, Clark, 14th March,
 Ruying 4th January, Timber—Chinn.

WM. LA LARUE, British bark, 373, T. Powell,
 13th Jan., Callao 24th Oct., Timber—
 Gibb, Livingston & Co.

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